



U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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2008 Summer Honors College Program

Applications Period: January 7, 2008 to March 17, 2008

The Securities and Exchange Commission's Summer Honors College Program gives undergraduate students the opportunity to become acquainted with the activities of the Commission and explore various career opportunities with the SEC. Students work with various Commission staff and, over the course of the ten-week program, generally have the opportunity to work on a number of projects. Individual projects are assigned according to the skill set and interests of the student. Students participate in seminars and workshops on various aspects of the Commission's activities. The program allows students from universities across the country to work at the Commission's Washington, D.C. headquarters and in each of its 11 regional and district offices nationwide.

Highlights of the program include:

- Seminars and workshops on federal securities laws. Past presentations have included: Securities Fraud on the Internet; Detection and Prosecution of Insider Trading; and An Overview of Federal Securities Laws.
- Mentoring program: students are paired with an SEC attorney or business professional who provides them with additional insight and guidance through the internship experience.
- Interns will have the opportunity to work in conjunction with attorneys and carry out individual and team projects determined by their area of interest and current issues faced by their assigned Division or Office.

Selection Criteria:

Candidates must:

- Be at least 16 years of age at the time of appointment.
- Be currently enrolled as a degree seeking student, on at least a half-time basis (determined by the particular school or university) in an accredited 2 or 4-year college or university.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale.
- Students graduating in May 2008 are not eligible for summer 2008 positions, unless they will be continuing their education in the Fall 2008 semester in a graduate or law school program.
- Students in the above category must show proof of continuing their education in the fall by submitting:
- A copy of the acceptance letter into the college or university you plan to attend; or
 - A copy of the application you submitted to the college or university you plan to attend, pending acceptance. Students should indicate the date you expect to receive notification of acceptance from that college or university.
 - Relatives of SEC employees **are not** eligible to apply, since these are non-competitive appointments.

Please note:

- Positions are compensated.
- Positions are temporary and designed for undergraduate students.
- Summer appointments are made specifically during the months of June through August and are Not-to-Exceed (NTE) 10-weeks.
- Applications are available on the AVUE system for managers to review. Students will be contacted directly if selected for an interview.
- All applicants must be US citizens
- Applicants who fail to submit the required information will not receive consideration.

Please visit the SEC website at www.sec.gov/jobs and follow the link under "Summer Honors College Program" to find the online application.

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